

There will be one from each side who will be presiding and will actually make determinations when objections are made.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. LOTT. I now ask unanimous consent that the Court of Impeachment stand in adjournment until the hour of 1 p.m. on Thursday, February 4.

The motion was agreed to; and at 6:34 p.m. the Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, adjourned until Thursday, February 4, 1999, at 1 p.m.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. ENZI). The clerk will call the roll. The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

APPOINTMENT BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d-276g, as amended, appoints the Senator from Alaska (Mr. MURKOWSKI) as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the First Session of the 106th Congress.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276h-276k, as amended, appoints the Senator from Georgia (Mr. COVERDELL) as the Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Union during the 106th Congress.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, in consultation with the ranking member of the Senate Committee on Finance, pursuant to Public Law 105-277, appoints the following individuals to the Trade Deficit Review Commission: Dimitri B. Papadimitriou of New York, C. Richard D'Amato of Maryland, and Lester C. Thurow of Massachusetts.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, upon the recommendation of the Democratic leader, pursuant to Public Law 105-292, appoints the Most Reverend Theodore E. McCarrick, Archbishop of Newark, New Jersey, to the Commission on International Religious Freedom.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendations of the majority leader, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2761, as amended,

appoints the Senator from Alaska (Mr. STEVENS) as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the British-American Interparliamentary Group during the 106th Congress.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAJORITY LEADER

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the majority leader, pursuant to Public Law 105-244, announces the appointment of the following individuals to serve as members of the Web-Based Education Commission: Patti S. Abraham, of Mississippi and George Bailey, of Montana.

The Chair, on behalf of the majority leader, pursuant to Public Law 105-277, announces the appointment of the following individuals to serve as members of the Commission on Online Child Protection:

Arthur Derosier, Jr., of Montana—Representative of academia with expertise in the field of technology;

Albert F. Ganier III, of Tennessee—Representative of a business providing Internet filtering or blocking services or software;

Donna Rice Hughes, of Virginia—Representative of a business making content available over the Internet;

C. Bradley Keirnes, of Colorado—Representative of a business providing Internet access services; and

Karen L. Talbert, of Texas—Representative of a business providing labeling or ratings services.

The Chair, on behalf of the majority leader, pursuant to Public Law 105-277, announces the appointment of Manuel H. Johnson, of Virginia, to serve as a member of the International Financial Institution Advisory Commission.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Democratic leader, pursuant to Public Law 105-277, announces the appointment of the following individuals to serve as members of the National Commission on Terrorism: Richard Kevin Betts of New Jersey and Maurice Sonnenberg of New York.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-1087. A communication from the Administrator of the Rural Utilities Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "RUS Fidelity and Insurance Requirements for Electric and Telecommunications Borrowers" (RIN0572-AA86) received on January 14, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1088. A communication from the Deputy Executive Director of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Commission Records and Information; Open Commission Meetings" received on January 14, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1089. A communication from the Deputy Executive Director of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Temporary Licenses for Associated Persons, Floor Brokers, Floor Traders and Guaranteed Introducing Brokers" received on January 14, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1090. A communication from the Deputy Executive Director of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Voting by Interested Members of Self-Regulatory Organization Governing Boards and Committees" received on January 14, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1091. A communication from the Director of the Congressional Budget Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's report entitled "Unauthorized Appropriations and Expiring Authorizations" dated January 8, 1999; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1092. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting, notice of a routine military retirement in the Air Force; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1093. A communication from the Secretary of the Air Force, transmitting, pursuant to law, notice of a cost comparison of the Educational and Training functions at Robins Air Force Base, Georgia; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1094. A communication from the Secretary of the Air Force, transmitting, pursuant to law, notice of a cost comparison of the Base Training and Education functions at 18 Air Combat Command Bases; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1095. A communication from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's annual report on the National Defense Stockpile for fiscal year 1998; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1096. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Exports of High Performance Computers under License Exception CTP" (RIN0694-AB82) received on January 12, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1097. A communication from the General Counsel of the National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Organization and Operations of Federal Credit Unions" received on January 11, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1098. A communication from the General Counsel of the National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Organization and Operations of Federal Credit Unions" received on January 11, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1099. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant